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## Conservative Rally.

MESSRS. DAY AND HYNDMAN  
 ADDRESS THE RED DEER CLUB.

The club room of the Conservative Association was filled with a large and enthusiastic crowd of Conservatives and their friends Friday evening, last, to hear addresses from two of Alberta's prominent Conservatives namely: E. W. Day, Mayor of Dayland, and J. D. Hyndman, of Edmonton, who was nominated to contest Edmonton against Hon. Frank Oliver. Geo. F. Root was also present and took part on the platform.

W. E. Payne, the new president of the local association occupied the chair.

Mr. Lewis opened proceedings with an instrumental, after which Rube Glee gave one of his ever popular solos and Morris and McQueen gave an instrumental selection. Messrs. Hadley and L. M. Gutz followed with local songs.

The chairman in opening said never had a party in the west such candidates as we have to-day in Alberta. They are united and we put up a great fight from Mr. Hyndman in the south to Mr. Hyndman in the north. He had much pleasure in calling on Mr. Day to address the meeting.

Mr. Day in rising, said he was a farmer and therefore would not take up much of their time. He paid a high compliment to Mr. Root on his splendid farm and herd of shorthorns which he had visited that afternoon, stating it was one of the finest in the province. He heard it whispered Mr. Root was being opposed because he was an American. We spend millions in bringing people into our country, and then the government turns them down. The granger will be deluged by school children in the future as a man who grabbed all he could get on the earth, but was turned down in the year 1908.

He referred to the day of the late Sir John A. Macdonald, and what he did for Canada. Up to 1867, the great work of confederation remained to be done. He was ably assisted by one of the greatest figures in Canadian history, Sir Charles Tupper who is alive to-day. They decided to weld the provinces of this great Dominion together by constructing the Canadian Pacific Railway. They were defeated by Mr. McKenzie, but in 1878 the Conservatives took charge of the government again, and inaugurated the great national policy. The Conservative government changed the affairs of this country until 1893. The Liberal party said in 1893 we must view with alarm the expenditure of \$88,000,000. It is not time to view with alarm now that \$120,000,000 is expended by this Liberal government, which was so anxious about the expenditure in 1893?

Every acre of our land, all our timber, our minerals, our coal fields, our streams, are all taken from us, we have nothing left but the air we breathe. No doubt this present government is going to its reward. The best news comes from all parts of the Dominion. It was in full accord with Mr. Borden's platform, still he was under obligation to no man, and he would stay by the Conservatives just so long as they were square, but if they had any fitons in the party he would leave it.

He was in favor of a lower tariff on agricultural implements. The farmers pay more and higher fees than ever before because the manufacturers are protected by a bounty which gives them higher protection, and the farmers pay that bounty. The farmer has to pay too high an interest and he cannot handle the changes. The government could profitably step in and tell the financial institute to lower their interest. He favored the government helping the farmer in the way

of small loans at a nominal interest. While not in favor of experimental farms, he favored experimental stations in every part of the west, to save the farmers experimenting themselves. He could see no reason why the C. P. R. should charge one person more than another. Now at Dayland if a man was on the train list he paid 60c, a hundred for freight, if not, he paid \$1.10. There was no reason why that should be. We should own and control our railroads. He was in favor of free rural delivery. He did not think the government should make money out of this department. He paid a high tribute to Mr. Root, he was a man after his own heart. Finally he wanted the ballot box watched by the cleverest men we have in the party. All he asked for was a fair run for Mr. Root and himself and he would be satisfied.

Mr. Huskins gave one of his splendid recitations, after which Mr. Root introduced Mr. Hyndman with a few brief remarks. He had just returned from a trip up north where he had been doing good work. He was speaking in one place, while a revivalist from Hyndman's town was speaking in another part. Between them they had saved the town. He then introduced Mr. Day, who was following in the footsteps of our dad and our dad was the good old Sir John A. Macdonald. (Cheers.) He was meeting with great success in his canvass. He admired Mr. Hyndman for the fearless manner in which he took up the fight against Hon. Frank Oliver and he would be willing to help him any time he could. But when it came to addressing, Galtians he would have to get Philip Wagner to help him, as he didn't know the language.

Mr. Hyndman said many would credit him with being a fierce, bewhiskered man to run against Hon. Frank Oliver. But he felt he could run against Oliver with perfect clean face. (Cheers.) He had many warm friends in Red Deer and it was one of the spots he always liked to visit. He was doubly pleased to travel to Red Deer with Mr. Day, the candidate for Strathcona. The tide is coming the way of Conservatives there can be no doubt of that. Up to last election there had been fairly smooth sailing for the Liberal party. Then it began to be seen that men in the Liberal party began to get rich. Clifford Smith was a keen politician, he knew enough to hold down the lid. He got out of the government, he would not say why just now. But Mr. Oliver was not clever enough to keep down the lid. Investigations followed. Mr. Ames was called a scandal monger, but you must know him before judging him. There were fifteen hundred passengers in the district he represented. He decided to stop that sort of thing. They had a perfect denigration of every voter in his district, and fifteen hundred was reduced to thirty. His investigations into timber seals had shown up the blackened Liberal government. The Borden platform was the platform of our party to-day. The civil service plank was a very important one. One instance was the man in Saskatchewan the civil servant, who filled the ballot box in the north. He was jailed for the offence by the Liberals. When he came out he was again given a government job. This was being done in all parts of the country. It had even got into the migration department. He read from Hansard showing that emigrants were even held up and were worked by men named Dickey and Dodd. He showed Dickey had been discharged, but they had no knowledge of Dodd. These emigrants were threatened to be put in quarantine unless they gave say \$10 to be allowed to pass. There was no incentive for a man to do his best in the civil service because he knows he will always have a healer to step into the good jobs ahead of him. He showed up the evils in the marine department. They wanted to open a new

kind of bookkeeping. An accountant was asked to get this system into order and some twenty men and boys were brought in from New York and paid from \$15 to \$75 a day, these boys could not be found one of them afterwards. They never got such salaries. Mr. Falkner and his friends pocketed this money. He exposed the crooked system regarding the Ross rifle in the militia department. After spending a quarter of a million dollars before a rifle was produced, the Conservative members began to investigate and found the fine parts of the rifles were made in the United States. Timber limits interested people in his part of the country. Burrows was the Fulp Co. He was talking to a surveyor who had been out for two years surveying limits for Burrows, and when asked if he would soon be through he said he would be working for a good many years yet before he was through. Every man building a barn or house had to pay tribute to this Burrows & Co. No man can get a foot of timber as all of it is taken up by these people. He read petitions forwarded to the government by settlers asking that limits be resumed. One was signed by 35 settlers, others by large numbers of settlers. He showed the petition was received and acknowledged by the parliament, but they regretted the limit day before, although Mr. Hyndman showed that the deposit was not paid for some time after, and they could not consider the settler's request. But these people had purchased a timber limit of thousands of square miles for \$500 and they wanted \$1 a thousand feet, and there were millions upon millions of feet in every mile. There was enough money made on these limits alone to make this crowd multi-millionaires. The government got practically nothing for the limits, they only gave them away to their

He paid a high compliment to Mr. Root. He was over Mr. Root's farm, and he was very much interested in the chertons and Shorthorns around Edmonton. Mr. Root's farm was a standing attraction for him. He wanted him to come to Edmonton and spend a few days with him as he desired to show him some of his new acquisitions. They were well organized in Edmonton. The old timers were disgusted with Mr. Oliver and the new settlers did not know him. In the city they will beat him hands down. They have all men, every man a good one, on their membership roll, and he thought the chances good, in the Edmonton district, to elect Mr. Oliver.

G. W. Greene moved a hearty vote of thanks to the speakers of the evening for their very interesting addresses, which was seconded by Dr. J. Collison.

After a musical selection by McQueen, Morris and Beegrid, three hearty cheers were given for Mr. Root and the speakers of the evening, and the National Anthem closed proceedings.

**RED DEER CONSERVATIVE ASSOCIATION.**  
 The annual meeting of the Conservative association of Red Deer was held in the club room Wednesday last. The officers were elected for the ensuing year as follows: Hon. President—Geo. F. Root, President—W. E. Payne, Vice Presidents—W. J. Botterill, L. B. Hill, and W. H. Hudley, Executive Committee—A. Stephenson, F. H. Tallman, R. P. Alford, S. Carscallen, R. E. Drake, W. E. Byers, Mr. Logan, R. P. Graham, and Dr. George A. large number of new names were added to the list of members and the association is stronger than it has ever been in its history.

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## CRITICAL.

(Toronto, Mail and Empire.)

The situation at Ottawa is becoming more and more critical. Since Parliament has been in session the country has heard from the capital of little else but graft. For years the Government has been distributing its favors. Now the Opposition is, with much difficulty, and in the face of fierce obstruction, exhuming the facts. There are "rake-offs" and middlemen everywhere. If anything is bought, there is a politician to take toll upon the transaction. If anything is sold, a middleman is placed between the Government and the purchaser to get the profit. Where a contract is made, the party receiving the order is an intermediary who gets financial advantages, but does not work.

In the disposal of the public property there is trickery of the grossest kind, with the result that great areas fall into the hands of members of Parliament, who give little or nothing for them. One man has had 200,000 acres of land worth \$10 an acre for \$1.00 per acre. Another has swept into his net fully one-third of the timber property of the North-West. This baron has received the right to toll the settlers on their timber and to get rich in the process, while the other has been permitted to lay tribute upon the colonists as they buy their land. Land, timber, coal—all have been allotted to politicians that they may fatten upon the hard-working farmer who is the innocent prey of these blood-suckers. Just as this phase of the situation has been impressed upon us all, the budget is brought down, with the result that the country is alarmed, not merely at the waste and dishonesty that have been allowed to experience, but at the outlook for the future. Our taxes have been raised from \$27,000,000 to \$73,000,000 in twelve years. Out of the people there has been taken during this period \$142,000,000 more than would have been taken had the old rate of taxation been maintained. This has made a terrible drain upon the business of the country. It is responsible for much of the depression now being experienced. Bad as the past has been, the future is to be worse. The limit of taxation appears to have been reached, and now an era of debt has set in. The present fiscal year, which ends with this month, is to experience an addition of \$12,500,000 to our liabilities. Next year is to be still more disastrous. No less than \$30,000,000 of new debt is to be incurred. Within two years \$41,000,000 will be added to our permanent obligations, as a consequence of the growing deficits. This sum alone means that we shall have to pay forever \$1,230,000 a year in the shape of interest. By the Government the unfortunate outlook is shouldered upon the Grand Trunk Pacific. But this enterprise was consented to by the people on the distinct understanding, guaranteed by Sir Wilfrid Laurier, that that project would cost us no more than \$13,000,000. The depressing state of affairs is the result of the policy of graft and folly. Graft has imposed upon us losses aggregating millions every year. Folly has led us into liabilities such as that incurred through the fall of the Laurier bridge at Quebec, or that which we have to meet through the contract with the Grand Trunk Pacific, which compels us to pay for a railway that is to compete with and practically destroy the Intercolonial, upon which we are already losing millions annually.

The situation is such as to impress upon all thinking citizen the necessity of looking closely into the affairs of their country, and of taking action with a view to remedying them. We may be sure that things will not get better under present auspices. Graft will not disappear of its own accord. A Government devoted to this crime cannot reform itself. Incapacity and extravagance cannot be cured by the public agency which suffers from these evils. The danger cannot be averted, the wrong cannot be eliminated, the country cannot be placed again in as good position morally and financially, unless the people, the best citizens, the independent citizens, take action. To these we confidently look for an exhibition of public spirit, and for an effort, strong, decided and patriotic, to save Canada.

## Mr. Burrows owns 1,336 Square Miles.

Result of Conservative Probe Into Timber Scandals—Shown by Original Papers—The Truth would have been Concealed if the Liberals had succeeded in refusing inspection.

Ottawa, March 20.—The interest in the exposure of the timber scandal is increasing, and the Public Accounts Committee is crowded at every meeting. Each probe brings out something new and something startling. The most astounding revelation made during the week is that which shows that Theodore Burrows, M. P., Sifton's brother-in-law, is the Imperial Pulp Company. At the outset it was alleged that the Imperial Pulp Co. was a great business organization, with headquarters in Winnipeg, and that it was owned by Theodore Burrows, M. P., Sifton's brother-in-law, is the Imperial Pulp Company. At the outset it was alleged that the Imperial Pulp Co. was a great business organization, with headquarters in Winnipeg, and that it was owned by Theodore Burrows, M. P., Sifton's brother-in-law, is the Imperial Pulp Company. At the outset it was alleged that the Imperial Pulp Co. was a great business organization, with headquarters in Winnipeg, and that it was owned by Theodore Burrows, M. P., Sifton's brother-in-law, is the Imperial Pulp Company.

THE CONFESSION.  
With the departure of Sir Daniel enquires were pushed in other directions, with the result that it was found that the financing of the Imperial Pulp Company was managed by Burrows. The Government which has fought against the production of the original documents in order that this fact might be kept dark, found that it was impossible to conceal the truth altogether, and for this reason A. W. Fraser, former president of the Liberal Association of Ottawa, was put in the box to tell the story. This gentleman frankly admitted that Burrows and the Imperial Pulp Co. were one and the same thing. Had this acknowledgment not been made it would have been brought out in some other way, as, for example, by way of the cheques given in the name of the Imperial Pulp Company by Burrows.

BURROWS' HUGE POSSESSIONS.  
Now that the ownership of the Imperial Pulp Company by Burrows is admitted, the quantity of timber land held by this politician and secured by him since the present government has been in office, and partly, if not entirely, during the regime of his brother-in-law becomes a matter of public interest. According to the enquiries so far made Mr. Burrows has timber land of his own name, and in the names of A. W. Fraser, the Imperial Pulp Co. and the Big River Pulp Company. The areas in each name are these:

Square miles	Imperial Pulp Company
549	Imperial Pulp Company
417	Imperial Pulp Company
260	Imperial Pulp Company
260	Imperial Pulp Company
1,336	Imperial Pulp Company

There is another batch of limits in the name of J. H. Munson, supposed to belong to Mr. Burrows consisting of 250 square miles. Omitting these limits, Mr. Burrows is the owner, in various names, of 1,336 square miles of timber. This area is equivalent to a belt a mile wide extending along the railway route between Toronto and Winnipeg. It is equal to a belt two miles wide extending from Winnipeg across the prairie to Calgary. The concession is practically a dukedom.

### OTHER TIMBER DUKES.

If Burrows has done well, he does not stand alone. There are others. Here are a few:

Square miles	Owner
120	Arthur Hithcock, of the Robins irrigation deal
120	A. J. Adamson, M. P., Turritt's brother-in-law
102	Senator Davis, of Prince Albert
102	A. Smith, Liberal organizer

But Mr. Burrows is the luckiest man of them all. Now, the holdings of Mr. Burrows would never have been known had it not been that the representatives of the people in Parliament fought for the bringing down of the original documents. Here comes in the significance of the original document fight. The Government knew that the documents, if brought down would give Burrows away. Therefore, Frank Oliver and Sir Wilfrid Laurier tried to bluff Parliament out of the right to see them. The opposition suspected that these documents would expose the graft therefore it insisted upon their production, and was successful in its fight. The meaning of the contest may be illustrated by one fact.

### A CRAFTY MANOEUVRE.

Two tenders were put in for one berth, one by W. H. Nolan of Montreal, and the other by Burrows. The typewritten copy of the applications indicated that they were the production of two men. But the original copies told an entirely different story. These showed that Nolan's tender was written by Burrows' lawyer, and that the two tenders were not competitive tenders.

but the tenders of one man, namely, Burrows. In this case which is used for the purpose of illustration, the timber berth were put up for competition suddenly, and the two tenders both for one man, were put in. The berth went for about \$800 to Nolan, who immediately assigned it to the Imperial Pulp Co., which is Burrows under another name. This berth has been offered for sale for \$800,000. If the original documents had been brought back, the truth with regard to this matter would never have come out, and the great luck of Mr. Burrows M. P., as a tenderer during the regime of Sifton and Turritt would not have been discovered. The new question that is raised in the case, and for which a solution is sought, is the reason for the presentation by Burrows, when tendering for the public property, of more than one cheque. This may be explained later on.

A correspondent of the Montreal Star characterizes the site of the collapsed Quebec bridge as "ill-chosen, extravagantly expensive, and dangerous." He goes on to say that "a short distance above Quebec," there is a far safer and cheaper site, and adds:—

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Money Order Wicket open from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

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From Evans, Eskville, Burnt Lake, Sylvan Lake, Le Riville and S. Thoma at 4.30 p.m. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Ships for despatch are closed as follows:

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P. Pidgeon  
Thos. Gaetz  
F. H. Tallman  
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City Clerk, L. C. Fulmer.

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W. E. Payne.  
A. Munroe.  
J. A. Carwell.  
Sec.-Treas., M. A. Munroe.

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President R. C. Brumpton.  
Secretary, M. A. Munroe.

### Red Deer Exhibition Association Ltd

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Secretary R. B. Welliver.

### Railway Time Table

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Rev. B. Goodfield, B.A. Pastor Services every Sunday 11 & 7.30 Sunday School and Bible Class 12 Prayer Meeting Wed. even. at 8. Choir Practice Friday at 8.

### PRESBYTERIAN

Pastor, Rev. W. G. W. Fortune, B.A., B.D.  
Services, Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.  
Sunday School and Bible Class at 2.30 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting Wednesday eve at 8 p.m. Choir Practice at 9.

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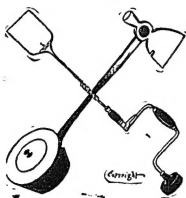
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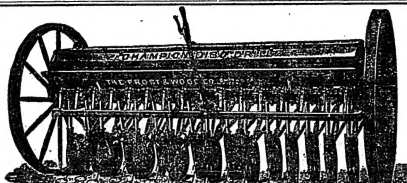
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**FURNITURE, CROCKERYWARE, IRON BEDS, &c.,**

damaged by the Fire in my premises will be sold in the old Imperial Bank stand, Alford Block, at practically your own price.

All must be closed out by the first week of April.

The stuff has got to go, and there are all kinds of Bargains.

Drop in and you will find something to suit you.

**A. B. PURDY.**

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1st, 1908.

### Why Dr. Thompson Turned Conservative.

Dr. Alfred Thompson, M.P. for the Yukon Territory joined the Conservative party. To an interviewer the Doctor said that he had recently definitely thrown in his lot with the Conservative Party for the reason that R. L. Borden's platform appealed to him, and he thought it was the right policy to further the interests of the Dominion. Civil service reform was something Canada needs.

Asked what he thought of the post office surplus of \$2,000,000 and of the budget, Dr. Thompson said that the surplus should be applied to the improvement of the mail routes for the young provinces in the west. The post office should not be a money making concern, and any surplus that accrues should be used for the ramification of the rural postal system.

The budget to him was a great disappointment. Expenditure has increased beyond all reasonable bounds, and there is no hope of any retrenchment. We are spending now this present year 16 dollars per head for every man, woman and child we have in Canada, and he could hardly find words to express his indignation of this fact. Asked what he thought the feeling of the country was in regard to a change of government, the doctor said he thought the time was ripe for changes, and there was every sign that it was going to be made. He left for the Yukon on Thursday morning in order to get home before the ice breaks up, otherwise he would not get back till June.

### TALKING OF GIVING US THE FROG PONDS.

The Conservative party will not be satisfied with anything less than the entire lands, minerals, forests and streams returned to them. The Liberal leaders are beginning to see the end. They see the people are becoming aroused. They see the hand writing on the wall. They see the signs in New Brunswick. They see signs in Quebec. They see signs in British Columbia. They see signs here in Alberta. They see the people are ripe for a change. Attorney General Cross is trying to arrange for the Dominion to give us back land that is at present good for nothing. Frog ponds, muskegs and swamps. We will be given these lands if we can drain them. This is adding insult to injury. This is acknowledging we are entitled to our lands, but the Dominion Government will only keep what they can sell to grafters, or hand over to timber barons, or barter to coal speculators for a consideration, and hand the sum back to the people. The liberal party is hedging. And signs are not wanting that even the Hon. Frank Oliver will be beaten at Edmonton. F. L. Borden, if returned to power, will restore the lands, minerals, forests and mines to the province, and the people will be satisfied with nothing else.

### Times Different Now.

The Edmonton Bulletin the leading government organ of graft, rises to remark that previous to 1896 everything in Canada was on the downward grade the track was grooved so to speak everybody was reading blue books and looking up statistics to see where we were at and blue rain stared people in the face. "Enterprise was throttled discouraged and killed." Now all

is different. The country is flourishing. Everybody is making money. "There is no need of computations to prove our prosperity." Enterprise is stimulated and people have a growing confidence in the country and the people owe it all to the splendid management of the government at Ottawa.

Of course the organ of graft at Edmonton has no time to look up blue books or statistics, it is too busy pocketing the pure government swag, at the rate of \$23,000 a year.

It has got to earn its salary. Such articles of fulsome laudation will continue up to the day the Laurier government is thrown from power. Nobody pays attention to Hon. Frank Oliver's paper now. There was a time when the Bulletin had some weight in the community. That time has passed.

A paper that states the people at large have confidence in the machine government at Ottawa simply states what it knows to be untrue. The people are tired of this sort of thing and the Bulletin knows it. We need not go to London, Colchester or New Brunswick to learn the fact, we see it in Alberta. The people are ready for a change and they will have it any time the government is ready to bring on the election.

### The School Readers.

In a short time some 60,000 or 70,000 public school readers of the first four standards will reach Edmonton for distribution among the schools of the province. A supply sufficient for two years has been ordered. The books are being printed by Morang & Co., Toronto, Ontario, and they have been given a ten year contract for all the school books of the province by the government. While it may be possible there is not a printing establishment in our own province to do this work at the present time still, no doubt there could be in a year or two if the government took as much trouble to foster the industry here as they are to help along printing firms in Ontario.

It is neither wise nor politic for the local government to put a damper on work of this kind in Alberta. While they are shouting from the tree tops of their enterprise along the lines of telephones, universities and such like, they are sending thousands of dollars of the people's money to the east to enrich big firms to the injury of business in our own province.

### SEED GRAIN.

No more seed grain can be procured from the government. This is a good thing for the settler. Very little wheat was required in this province. This is also a good thing for the settler. There is a lot of excellent seed left in this country for sale. The Regina West has been investigating the seed question in Saskatchewan and says:—

"Prominent grain men in conversation with the West regarding seed grain supplied to the farmers, said that it was a shame the way the farmers are being treated both with regard to the price and the sample. We cite three cases in point. At Whitewood on Saturday a car was standing on the track and the farmers were debating whether they would accept it or not, it being at least two grades below the grade for which they were charged. At Qu'Appelle on Saturday there was a car which graded all right, but it was full of wild oats, notwithstanding that the farmers are paying the price to get pure seed. At Lip-ton last week the seed shipped

in there was compared with the wheat which took prizes at the seed grain fair, and it was found that the government seed was two grades below the grade for which the farmers are charged. Grain men who know what they are talking about, say that the farmers are not only being fleeced as regards prices, in charging No. 1 figures for inferior grades, but noxious weeds are being distributed broadcast to such an extent that the country will be in a disastrous state next fall, if the wheat with these foul seeds is sown.

The government inspectors have not done their best to get clean seed. When inspecting wheat they only examined it to see whether there were more than eight wild oats to the pound. If there were not more the grain was accepted. What will be the difference next fall between 480 wild oats to the bushel, or twice as much as far as the principle of clean seed and clean land is concerned? The government could have got all the clean seed wheat necessary for Saskatchewan in this province, if they had gone to work the right way to protect the interests of the farmer as regards price and quality, but they did not do that. They went outside the province and purchased poor grain at 20 cents per bushel in advance of May quotations which ought to guarantee good seed. It is noticeable that it is claimed by comparison how close the prices charged are to the market quotations, but these comparisons are misleading owing to the undergrading which the government has allowed in order to fleece the farmers on the prices.

Mr. Cushing, Minister of Public Works, has gone east to interview the 'Bell Telephone people' with a view to purchasing their system in Alberta. No doubt a sale will take place. It will be interesting to know what position the Red Deer system controlled by the Western General people will occupy. We understand the Western General people are willing to sell to the Government, but they want their price. And they are entitled to it. Two companies are always a nuisance and conflict one with the other. As an instance. A government line is being built to Pine Lake. It will probably connect with the Bell system. What use would that be to the people of Red Deer, as very few phones are on the Bell system? If the Western General system is used then it is claimed a toll will have to be paid by the patron that would amount to more than the rent of the phone. It would appear foolish at first sight for the local company to buck the Government and the outcome will be watched with interest by the citizens of Red Deer.

Burrows now controls eight million acres of timber land, one third of entire grant to the great transcontinental line the C. P. R. A few more years of Liberal rule and the people will be serts for life to a few bloated barons of the Sifton, Burrows, Turfitt stripe.

### Blindman.

A social was held in the Asplund School House on Saturday evening the 21st. under the auspices of the Blindman Conservative Club and was a great success over a hundred persons being present. A musical programme was rendered. Among other items a recitation by Mr. Gover, and a duet by Miss C. Aarstad and Miss M. MacMahon receiving great applause and the instrumental items by Mrs. Wigmore and Mr. Ed. Wigmore being highly appreciated. After a short address by Jos. Barron, the President, who took the chair, refreshments were served by the Ladies and then addresses were delivered by Mr. Gover and Mr. G. F. Root, the Conservative Candidate who gave a splendid outline of the Conservative Policy and was much to the liking of the large crowd. The meeting broke up at 12 o'clock with cheers for Mr. Root who is assured of hearty support in this part.

Pain can be quickly stopped. A 25 cent box of Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets will kill any pain, everywhere, in 20 minutes! Besides they are thoroughly safe. Painful periods with women, neuralgia, etc., quickly cease after one tablet. Brown's Pharmacy.

## CREDIT AUCTION SALE.

Owing to ill-health Jas. Martin has instructed the undersigned to sell at his farm, the north half 23-37, one mile north Angus Martin, or 3 miles S. E. of Burnt Lake store, on

**THURSDAY, APRIL 9TH,**  
at 12 o'clock sharp, the following:

**HIGH CLASS DAIRY STOCK.**  
10 milk cows, in calf or calves at foot.  
3 Yoke of first-class work Oxen.  
3 Sows in Pig. 1 Breaking Plow.  
1 Ox Yoke. 2 Sets Ox Harness.

This is an extra good bunch of Dairy Cattle as proprietor has selected his cattle very carefully for dairying purposes, and is selling the entire bunch.

TERMS: \$15 and undercash, over that amount 3 months time on furnishing approved joint bankable notes bearing interest at 5 per cent; or 5 per cent discount for cash.

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## Seed Oats Wanted

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## Estray.

On the premises of Richard Gumm, since August 1906, Steer, jersey colored, two years old. No visible brand. N.W. 1/4-10-27-28 west of 4th. Sw

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have been selling quite freely of late.

If you want one of these Lots you must buy soon.

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## W. Springbett is Offering Big Snaps

In Sulky Plows, Gang Plows and Walking Plows, "Hero" Panning Mills, Harrow Carts, Horse Powers and Grain Grinders.

I also have one 18-shoe Sylvester Drill and one "Empire" Cream Separator. All these goods are going to be sold this Spring if low prices will sell them. They are out-of-date stuff, as all of them are being handled in Red Deer, where repairs can be got for them. Don't wait until the last, but come early and get your choice.

I also have one second-hand Wagon and one second-hand Democrat; these two articles are specially low-priced, and should sell quick, so come and get a snap—at Springbett & Bowhey's old stand.

**W. SPRINGBETT,**  
GENERAL BLACKSMITH RED DEER.



## Concert and Dance.

The Concert and dance provided by Messrs. C. H. Bergfried and W. R. Hatchett last Tuesday evening at the Lyrio Theatre, must certainly be classed as one of the best concerts provided for the citizens of Red Deer this winter. The promoters certainly gave their patrons generous value for their money. The weather was not all that could be desired, still a very good number braved the elements and were present.

The different artists that appeared in support of the programme worthily upheld their reputations as singers and were heartily applauded by the company present. Special mention must be made of the trio, Messrs. Morris, Bergfried and McQueen, and certainly Red Deer ought to hear this trio often.

Dancing was kept up until early hours of the morning, and every one departed well pleased with the evening's entertainment. The list being expressed on all sides that Messrs. Bergfried and Hatchett should get busy and provide another such evenings fun in the near future.

The programme—  
Chairman—Dr. George,  
Pianoforte solo—W. R. Patchett,  
Song—R. Gee  
Violin solo—C. H. Bergfried,  
Recitation—W. Huskins.  
Song—P. Keen  
Pianoforte duo—Messrs. Patchett and Morris.  
Song—Miss Davenport.  
Violin solo—W. B. McQueen.  
Song (comic)—W. H. Hadley.  
Song—Miss L. Snell.  
Song—F. Hart.  
Trio—Messrs. Morris, Bergfried and McQueen.  
Recitation—W. Huskins.

## Penhold A. F. A.

The regular monthly meeting of the A. F. A. was held in the Penhold school house on Saturday 22nd of March, and was an interesting meeting, with a good attendance.

President Hives occupied the chair. A letter was read from Sec. Stevens, re organizing literature and work, spring sales of beef cattle and A. F. A. buttons or emblems. The meeting being very much in favor of adopting badge. The auditors report and statement of membership was received from Central, showing a great increase of membership for this year over last. The Simpson Heworth Co. Limited, Winnipeg, sent a circular giving the months grain prices.

Quotations on formalin were received and a joint order was placed locally. The matter of Government Elevators was discussed and a resolution favoring any workable scheme for the three provinces was passed on motion of J. S. Bruhman, G. Donnelly.

The Pres. and Sec. reported on organizing meetings held at Burr Lake and Ridgewood as being most successful, a new branch being formed at Burr Lake and a number of new members being secured at Ridgewood for the Penhold branch.

A letter was received from Sec. Stevens showing that the matter of local freight rates has been taken up by the Central.

J. Farrer has two teams of young horses for sale and some seed barley. G. Donnelly has 25 bushels of Preston wheat testing 100 lbs at 90 cents.

J. S. Bruhman wishes to hire a man, and has 50 acres of brush cutting and breaking to let.

The next meeting will be held the third Sat. in April.

A. SPEAKMAN,  
Ass't. Sec.

## MAMMOTH UNRESERVED CREDIT SALE

OF  
FARM HORSES & DAIRY CATTLE

HAVING received instructions from W. J. McLean, on s.w. quarter 8-38-20, w. 4, five miles east of Red Deer, I will offer for sale on

**SATURDAY APRIL 4th,**

at 11 o'clock sharp, the following:—

1 mare, in foal, 1,500 lbs.; 2 mares, in foal, 1,100 lbs.; 8 mares, in foal, 1,000 lbs.; 1 mare, in foal, 800 lbs.; 2 three-year-old geldings, 1,100; 10 two-year-old fillies and geldings; 3 one-year-old fillies and geldings; 2 calves at side; 7 cows in calf; 1 two-year-old heifer; 7 one-year-old heifers and steers; one wagon; 1 disk; 1 buggy; 1 set of harness, chains, doubletrees, and numerous articles.

TERMS OF SALE.  
\$20 and under cash, over that amount 8 months time on furnishing approved joint notes, bearing interest at 8 per cent., or 5 per cent discount for cash. This is a bona fide sale as proprietor is moving into town.

W. BANNERMAN Auctioneer.

## Strayed.

From the premises of the undersigned, about three weeks ago, a span of bay geldings 1200 to 1300 lbs. each. Both have a white star on forehead and white hind feet, and one had a halter on, one branded G.H. the other brand indistinct.

PETE LAHSEN, 9 miles North-West of town. Red Deer P. O.

## Council Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Town Council was held on Thursday evening last. Mayor H. H. Gaetz in the chair, with Councillors Botterill, McKee, Gaetz, Tallman and Pidgeon in attendance.

### CORRESPONDENCE.

The Winnipeg Rubber Co. wrote re chemical hose and gage.  
Michener, Carscallen & Co. wrote re debentures.

William Chipman, engineer, wrote re engagement as engineer.  
The Montreal Star wrote re advertising.

The Canadian Iron Foundry wrote quoting prices for iron pipe.

Town of Yorkton wrote asking information re scavenger work.

H. E. White wrote re position of town engineer.

William A. Lees re duplicate certificate of some property in town.

Greene & Payne wrote stating Reubens vs. Town of Red Deer case has been withdrawn.

R. B. Welliver, secretary of the Red Deer Exhibition Association, wrote re grant made by Town to Association, asking for amount granted last year by re-voters.

The grant of \$500 was reaffirmed on vote of Councillors Pidgeon and Gaetz.

The Secretary of the Red Deer Exhibition Association asked the council to appoint a committee to act with a committee of the A. F. A., Board of Trade and Exhibition Association, with regard to Dominion Exhibition at Calgary, said committee to meet about the 15th of April.

Councillor Tallman together with the Mayor were appointed a committee to act accordingly.

The Town solicitors wrote regarding a grant to Red Deer museum.

Col. Steele wrote regarding donation of land for military barracks. The solicitor informed the council this could not be done. A long time lease might be given.

Hugh Clark, contractor, wrote regarding Michener block, stating it was perfectly safe. Councillor McKee said so far as he knew the building was better than it ever was.

Chief Meeres wrote stating the chemical hose was poor and needed replacing.

H. G. Neale, engineer, wrote regarding filter basin at intake, making recommendations.

Ray L. Gaetz and other residents of Park Avenue petitioned the council for water service on said street.

COMMISSIONER'S REPORT MARCH 12

Council resolved into committee of the whole on the report.

The Commissioner reported having received copies of new amendment to the Red Deer Bill as passed by the Legislature and assented to March 5, 1908, and asked council to authorize payment of \$12 for same.

They reported having received certain forms for various departments, which have been placed in hands of officials.

They recommended that Mr. Neville proceed to furnish council with working plans and strict levels of various streets for lateral sewers, but after some discussion this clause was laid over.

The commissioners recommended that the Red Deer school be charged a flat rate of \$50 per annum for water service.

They recommended that no more manure be dumped on Nanaimo street, as it would probably be offensive, but recommended that clean ashes or earth may be dumped there under market clerk's authority.

On the evening of the 10th of March the option which was given M. Michener for sale of \$47,000 worth of debentures expired, and having no further word from him we informed Mr. Gaetz of this by wire at Ottawa.

Mr. Burley of the Irrigation Department, visited the town on the 10th March to inspect our water system and intake and to report on same before a license is granted. Your commissioners in conjunction with the Fire, Water and Light committee procured a loan and drove Mr. Burley over the whole system. The secretary furnished him with a blue print showing all the mains and hydrants.

They recommended that the town team be employed as much as possible in procuring good clean sand and ashes, and placing some in the wet places where the people have to walk.

A statement of receipts and expenditure for Feb. was attached showing receipt to be \$275.10 and disbursements \$1490.75, also salary sheet of \$550, \$25 was asked for petty cash account.

Report adopted as amended.

COMMISSIONERS REPORT NO. 2.

The commissioners brought in a second report.

They dealt with the debenture question stating that the general manager of the Merchant's Bank had insisted on the town selling its debentures, therefore they had done so on behalf of the council to the Sun Life Insurance Co. at 95 per cent net. Four thousand dollars was still unpaid.

They recommended 100 feet of

hose be purchased for the chemical.

They recommended certain repairs to the intake.

They stated that the finance committee had approved of the auditor's report.

Of the two applicants for auditor, they recommended A. W. G. Allen at \$200. Mr. Blythe, of Edmonton, was willing to do the work for \$300.

The commissioners recommended the Mayor of Paradise & Thorold's account, and that the contents of Dr. George's museum be exempt from taxation, but they could not advise exempting the building as it was used for other purposes.

They also recommended payment of several accounts.

Some discussion took place on the clause recommending Mr. Allen as auditor, and Councillor Botterill strongly opposed the appointment. He contended there was a strong feeling in favor of an outside auditor as Mr. Allen had not furnished the desired quarterly audit last year, and many citizens found fault with the way things were done in the audit department. Mr. Allen apparently not having time to attend to his duties.

The Mayor said the auditors report had been presented in February and was a most complete and excellent piece of work. He would not doubt have more time to attend to his duties this year.

The other members of the council seemed to feel as the Mayor did, that the auditor was satisfactory and did not feel disposed to blame Mr. Allen, but they had no objection to advertising for an outside auditor in Calgary, Edmonton and the home papers, and this was decided upon, applications to be in by April 15th.

The report was then adopted with this clause struck out.

The auditor's report was adopted on motion of Councillors Tallman and Pidgeon.

Councillor Botterill drew attention to the fact that the commissioners report did not provide for a drop harness for the fire team. He thought we should now get this harness at once.

On motion of Councillors Botterill and Tallman the commissioners were instructed to procure a set of fire drop harness as quickly as possible.

Councillor McKee drew attention to the great need of a crossing and drains on Victoria Avenue.

The Mayor said Mr. McKee had authorized the city engineer to have a report made on the improvements of this nature if he thought it necessary.

Chief Meeres reported hydrants in good condition, and that they were inspected daily. An automatic fire alarm had been attached to bell. The inspector had examined boiler and found everything O. K.

Council adjourned.

## The Sunday Address.

Sunday afternoon attractions have received a new impetus in the Men's Mass meetings inaugurated by Rev. B. Goodfield in the Baptist church from 4 to 5 every Sunday afternoon, when questions of vital importance to every thinking man are brought up for discussion by men well qualified to treat on the subject chosen.

Last Sunday Mayor Gaetz was the speaker. Subject: "Municipal Responsibilities." He had a large and appreciative audience composed of the most influential citizens of our town.

1st he said "That responsibility was the outgrowth of our privileges."

2nd. "Our duty was to improve the government of our municipality."

3rd. "The municipality is the school in which we learn to govern, which leads us to efficient government."

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## CASH SALE.

HAVING been favoured with instructions from Chester E. Stewart, Esq., I will sell by public auction at his residence in Woodlea Crescent, the second house to the left from the bridge, over the creek, on Ross Avenue, on

**SATURDAY APRIL 4th,**

at two o'clock sharp, the following:—

1 Oak extension table, 10ft., 6 oak dining-room chairs, 1 oak arm chair, 1 oak buffet, 1 oak rocker, 2 oak coffee tables, 2 large Morris chairs, one with rolling leaves, roll top desk, wicker rocker, upholstered easy chair, 3 bedsteads, springs and mattresses (one easterner); oak washstand and dresser, toilet set, dinner set, bread mixer and raisin seeder, good kitchen range, washing machine, wringer, child's high chair, clothes box and sleds, bicycles, in good order, brand new tyres; ham-mock and Medicine cabinet, incubator, Chatham No. 3, copper boiler, cooking utensils, lamps, chairs, 4 doz. crockery, carpets, linoleum, blinds, curtains, carpenter tools and clamps, shop heater, quantity of stove wood, iron, crockery, glassware, and everything to be found in a well appointed house. Terms of sale, spot cash.

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The Empress are standard shoes—due to years of intelligent effort in producing footwear for women with whom price is not paramount—but what they receive for it.

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We have the sole Agency for the "Empress" Shoe in Red Deer.

**W. T. COOTE,**  
"The Shoe Store of Quality."

## Seed Grain For Sale.

The following farmers have seed grain for sale in this district:

T. P. Parsons, Penhold P. O. 38-46-27 has 75 bushels Preston spring wheat, government test 88, price \$1.00. Oats 400 bushels, Ligowat, government test 75, price 50c. Barley, 400 bushels, two rowed, government test 84, price 75 cents per bushel.

Elias Vincent, Red Deer, P. O. has 800 bushels of Banner oats, test 83, Price 50 cents per bushel. Also a quantity of Preston seed wheat.

C. A. J. Sharman has for sale 1500 bus. of 6 rowed barley. Price 60c. Government test 84 percent. 1907 crop, but not a very good looking sample.

Tickling or dry Coughs will quickly loosen when using Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. And it is so thoroughly harmless that Dr. Shoop tells mothers to use nothing else, even for very young babies.

The wholesome green leaves and tender stems of a lung healing mountainous shrub give the curative properties to Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. It calms the cough, and heals the sensitive bronchial membranes. No opium, no chloroform, nothing harsh used to injure or suppress. Demand Dr. Shoop's. Take no other.

**Wanted.**  
By the 1st of April, experienced farm hand, to take full charge and manage 20 head of stock and 150 acres of land. Good home and good wages. Call or write, MRS. E. MOORE, Moorland Cottage, Edwell.

**Wanted.**  
The new terminus of the C.P. Ry., on the west coast of Vancouver Island. Beautiful healthy climate; lovely scenery; fishing and hunting superb; and a good living for everybody.

Farms—Fruit Lands—and Town Lots for sale. Write for particulars F. B. HARRISON, Real Estate Agent Albern, B.C.

## Milch Cows For Sale.

The undersigned has eight good milch cows for sale, cash or time. For further particulars apply to

O. SPROULE,  
Penhold P. O., March 14th, 1908.

**Wanted.**  
Will exchange any kind of Machinery for 25 cords of Dry Stove Wood.  
LATIMER & BOTTERILL.

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Only a few minutes walk from town; to the North of River. A lovely location for suburban residences.

High Bench Land. Rich, deep, black loam. An ideal spot for market gardeners or poultry fanciers.

Lots to suit anyone. Stretches of meadow. Groves of trees.

Land that has been cultivated and virgin soil.

Land for the landless, Homes for the homeless. Destined to increase in value very rapidly.

Get in on the ground floor, and have the benefit of the increase in value.

Present prices liable to be increased at any time.

Inspection invited. Guide provided.

## PRICES FROM

**\$75.00 Per Acre**

TERMS: One-third down; one-third in 12 & 24 months.

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To reduce our immense and complete stock of Lumber, Lath, Shingles, etc., we will sell direct to the consumer at

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Remember our stock consists of the best materials manufactured on the coast, and we can fill your bills complete with Sash, Doors, Mouldings, and all other kinds of building material.

This is your opportunity to get good Lumber cheap. Come in and haul away all you want; it don't make any difference to us whether you have the cash or not.

We will take pleasure in giving you an estimate on anything you may need, whether it is only one piece or a carload.

The Old Reliable Firm,

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## BROWN'S 'QUALITY' BAKING POWDER

WHAT! Baking Powder from a Drug Store? Certainly. OUR REASON. The Study of the PURITY of Drugs and Chemicals enables us to more intelligently compound an ABSOLUTELY Pure Baking Powder. This we have done in the manufacture of 'QUALITY' BAKING POWDER, which we guarantee to be pure and free from ALUM and other adulterants. Ask for sample package. Put up in 1 lb. at 25c., and 1 lb. packages at 40c., at

'THE PHARMACY OF QUALITY'  
Phone 150. Day or Night.  
BROWN'S PHARMACY.

### Local and General

Just try Ball & Drake's corned beef, pressed hocks and bologna. R. C. Brumpton has purchased the stock of Ivey & Coultas and added it to his already large stock of boots and shoes.

Every baby under two and a half years old is invited to the baby show at the County Fair Easter Monday. A prize will be given for the best baby.

If you want a Singer Sewing Machine now is the time to buy. I have some real snaps this week, call and see them at Singer's store, Eccles St. Terms are easy. W. Huskins, agent.

Edward R. Keith has purchased the express and delivery business of P. Pidgeon. Mr. Pidgeon will devote his time to real estate business. Mr. Pidgeon recommends Mr. Keith to all his customers as a steady young man worthy of confidence.

"The mistake of Moses" will be the sermon subject at the Baptist Church next Sunday morning. At night "Judge Le-carrion or the tragedy of money." The topic for the Men's Mass Meeting at 4 o'clock will be "Should a man be compelled to vote." This will be presented in the form of a debate. The speakers having been secured. All men should come and join in the discussion.

Mrs. Joseph Cole has just received word of the death of her nephew, Roger Beacock, at Enniskillen, Ont. Death occurred after a brief illness from heart and kidney trouble and pneumonia. It will be remembered that the deceased acted as ass't post master at Red Deer during the illness of W. J. McLeod last summer. On returning to Ontario he purchased a general store business at Enniskillen. He was taken ill the first day after obtaining possession of the business and passed away on Wednesday, March 25th.

Rev. Father Voisin, who returned from France two weeks ago, reports having a fairly successful trip and was instrumental in securing a number of people for this section of the country. He reports that a number of settlers will come from France this spring and he is anxious to learn of farmers who are desirous of employing farm help, as a number of those coming out will require positions. Any settler wanting help can secure it by writing to Rev. Father Voisin, Red Deer P.O., at as early a date as possible, or word can be left at the News Office.

Mayor Gaetz informs us that Willis and Casgrove who run the Lyric theatre at Calgary, and control a chain of theatres through western Canada has added the Lyric here to their circuit, which under the personal management of Walter Foxhall will be run as a continuous vaudeville and moving picture theatre. A performance will be given every night commencing Thursday, April 2nd, with a Saturday matinee for the children at the same prices. The charges in all the large cities throughout the country, viz: nights, adults 15 cents; children 10 cents. Matinee adults 10 cents; children five cents. Arrangements have been made with the Canadian Film Co. of Toronto, to use the same films in the picture machine as used throughout the circuit, giving two complete changes weekly, Monday and Thursday. There will also be two new illustrated songs each week and a first class vaudeville specialty, making one of the cleanest and most interesting entertainments ever seen in Red Deer, and at a price within the reach of all. Miss Gloria Dare known as the Rocky Mountain Girl will appear in one of the celebrated specialties at every performance. The press all over the country speak of her as one of the best singing comedians in Vaudeville. Arrangements have been made to give the Vaudeville show in near-by towns, evenings the Lyric is occupied by travelling troupes and home entertainments, so that, commencing Thursday night, April 2nd, there will be something going on every night at the Lyric.

### Proper Appliances for Eye Examination

Are as necessary to an optician, as are proper instruments to a surgeon. No successful work can be done without them. Our optician Mr. Gaetz, not only has the latest and best instruments but is an expert in the use of them. Consultation is free. He will advise you conscientiously. He will only prescribe and fit glasses where he finds them necessary. His experience and successes for the past 15 years will justify your confidence.

The Gaetz-Cornett Drug & Book Co., Ltd.

No Board of Trade meeting next week.

Miss Card will continue dress-making this season.

Mr. Coote will occupy the premises vacated by Ivey & Coultas.

Ball & Drake have tomatoes, asparagus and celery this week.

The new dance music, which was so liked at Mr. Bergfried's dance, was selected and supplied through the Wright Agency.

Bawtinsheimer & Sons will hold their first sale at the Auction Mart, their old stand Gaetz Ave., April 4th. Horses, cattle and goods of all kinds will be sold.

The Wright Agency has an Edison Standard Phonograph to exchange for cash, also large lot and small residence for which cattle will be taken in part payment. Gaetz Avenue South.

Mrs. E. J. McMillan occupies her present premises over store lately occupied by R. C. Brumpton until the 10th of April, and after the 11th inst. she will occupy her new premises just east of Merchants Bank, Mann St. where she will be pleased to see all her old customers.

The W. C. T. U. of Red Deer, gave an At Home at the residence of Mrs. Geo. Bell, the President, Friday evening last. The house at once was crowded. There was a long, varied and interesting program. Refreshments were served, and a pleasant time was indulged in by all.

Rev. W. G. Brown late of New Denver, B. C. has accepted the call to the pastorate of Knox Presbyterian Church, Mr. Brown will be inducted on Friday evening, April 10th, and will preach his first sermon D. V. on the 12th Mr. Brown is highly spoken of and it is to be hoped that the reception given him will be hearty and unimpaired.

See us about your sight. If your eyes blur, or your head has a dull ache, or you cannot read for any length of time, it means that your eyesight needs attention. Do not injure your sight by delay, be on the safe side by letting us advise at once what is best for your eyes.—H. H. Humber, the Optician and Watchmaker, Graduate Chicago Ophthalmic College.

### Creamery Convention.

A meeting of all the creamery officials, patrons and dairymen of the province will be held at Red Deer in the Oddfellows Hall on Tuesday and Wednesday, April 7th and 8th for the purpose of forming a creamery Association for the Province of Alberta.

Among those expected to be present and deliver addresses are the Minister of Agriculture, the Deputy Minister of Agriculture, H. A. Craig, Edmonton, superintendent of fairs and institutes, G. W. Scott, Calgary, dairy instructor, T. B. Miller, cheese manufacturer, Burnt Lake, A. H. Trimble, C. Marker and others. The program will be as follows: April 7th, Cheese making, and milk and cream testing.

Factory management discussed at afternoon session. April 8th, morning, Butter Judging competition by butter makers. Also class in stock judging to which the farmers are invited.

AFTERNOON SESSION. Pure milk supply for our towns people and factory inspection and many other subjects pertaining to dairymen will be discussed.

A public meeting will be held on the evening of the second day at which prizes will be given to the butter maker securing the largest number of marks in the butter scoring contest. Speeches by the Minister of Agriculture, Deputy Minister of Agriculture and others will be given.

### Evarts.

The usual monthly meeting of the A. F. A. was held at the School House on the 28th ult. Dr. Blakey President in the chair. There was an excellent attendance every seat being occupied. Many new subscriptions were received. The chairman explained the events which had occupied the Association in the past month and they hoped to do in the future and strongly emphasized the fact that the Federation is strictly non-political, being established solely for pure business purposes. The secretary was instructed to approach Mr. T. T. Moore with a view to enlist his sympathy and actual support for a pork and beef canning factory on lines similar to the creameries, a petition to the government was also drawn up and signed by every one present for the same purpose.

An animated discussion then took place on a proposition to establish a co-operative store in Evans. Many interesting speeches were made notably one by the Rev. Mr. Tipping and all who spoke enthusiastically supported the proposal. Mr. Taylor formerly of Sheffield England, a member of a similar store conclusively proved the great advantages which would result from co-operations Mr. Alfred Millward one of our newest members clearly showed to the meeting the great savings which would be made if only farmers would act for themselves in the matter of buying and selling and so squeezing out the great army of middlemen and after a lengthy speech resumed his seat and loud applause. Ultimately it was resolved to appoint a committee to make further investigations in the work of similar organization and to report to the next meeting which will be on Saturday the 5th of April.

We greatly regret to announce the sudden decease of our well known and highly respected neighbor Mr. Jacob Standinger he was in Evans on Saturday afternoon and was accompanied home by some friends. To their great dismay, they discovered when they reached his door he had passed away. He leaves a widow and four children to lament his terribly sudden death, and sincere sympathy is felt with them.

### Edwell.

The attendance at our school continues excellent 28 daily attendance for January and February. We are getting the worth of our money this year. Thanks to the teacher, Miss North.

"Have you any hay to sell" is heard on every side. What would have been the cry if we had had a winter like last year. Conclusion, hay with us here is a good piece sometime during the year.

Mr. C. E. Moore of Edwell is on the road again running out from Spokane on the International.

Cattle are looking better on the whole this spring than for a number of years at this season though there are quite a few losses reported.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. William Collier on March 28, a daughter.

The telephone poles are nearly all distributed in this section of the route. It is reported that one of the men working at the saw mill west of here met with a serious accident on March 28. The saw cut off half of his foot from the knee to the ankle. He was taken to Red Deer Hospital.

Sam Hornett is again in these parts cutting up the farmer's wood for the coming season.

A business meeting of the leaders of the English church in this community met in the school House March 21st. to organize regular work for the ensuing season.

Rev. Mr. Dushaw preached his farewell sermon Sunday March 22.

### WILLOWDALE CHURCH SOCIAL.

A most enjoyable and successful social was held on Friday, March 20th at the hospitable home of Mr. E. Code, Senr., Springfield.

Rev. A. J. Dushaw, late pastor of Willowdale Presbyterian Church, occupied the chair, and those who contributed to the programme were as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Moir, Valley Centre; Rev. Mr. James, Mrs. Hill, Mrs. McLennan, Miss B. McLennan, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Irvine, Mr. Webster, Miss L. Evans, Miss M. Metcalfe, Miss I. Striving, Mr. Robert Gummey, Mr. B. Code, of Springfield and Willowdale, Mr. and Mrs. McQueen, Miss Flo Fulmer, Mr. and Mrs. Hiley and Mr. Morris of Red Deer. The whole programme was very enjoyable, and the sections given by Messrs. McQueen and Morris were particularly appreciated by music lovers.

A pleasant feature of the evening was the cake contest, in which two very popular young men, Dr. Howards of Red Deer and Mr. Duncan Code of Springfield were candidates. Mrs. Fulmer of Red Deer, in nominating Dr. Howards, made a most pleasing and brilliant political speech, upholding her candidate and bringing him before the electors as a man, scholar and a philanthropist. Mrs. James, in her turn, in a few graceful and humorous remarks, set forth the claims and quality of her nominee, Mr. Duncan Code. After a vigorous campaign the electors decided in favor of Mr. Duncan Code, and he became the proud possessor of the four story cake, beautifully decorated with flags and ribbons.

The audience was then ready for the party in which Mr. Hiley proved a most efficient auctioneer. The total receipts of the evening were something over \$40.00. The people of Willowdale Church wish to extend their heartfelt thanks especially to those of the Red Deer people and the Methodists that took part in the programme and the Cake Contest and helped so materially to make of the Social a grand success.

### DIED.

In Red Deer, Wednesday, March 28th, Jean, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Smith, aged 11 months and 25 days.

### Sale Register.

April 2nd—Mr. James Marr has instructed A. B. Nash to sell his live stock and implements by Auction on the N.E. 1-30-27 midway between Red Deer and Blackfalds.

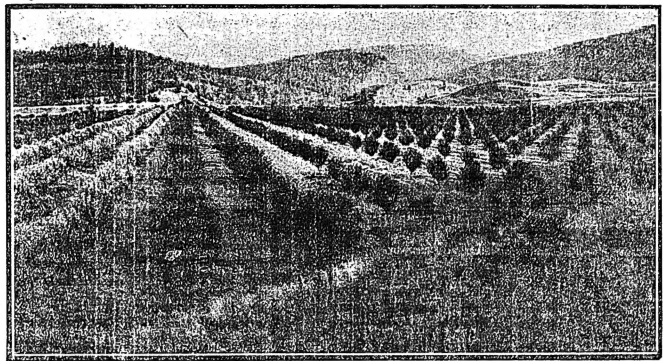
April 4th—Mr. W. J. McLean has instructed W. Bannerman to sell his live stock and implements on the S. W. 1 of 8-33-20, west of 4th, 5 miles east of Red Deer.

April 4th—Mr. Chester Stewart has instructed A. B. Nash to sell his household goods, etc., at his residence in Red Deer.

April 5th—Jas. Martin has instructed W. Bannerman to sell his dairy cattle on sec 25-37-1, 3 miles S. E. of Burnt Lake store.

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## FINEST FRUIT LANDS IN THE WORLD.

Most of these lands have already been bought up, and are being planted out in ORCHARDS of Apple, Pear, Cherry, Peach and other trees

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Remember that fruit-lands in KELOWNA are continually INCREASING IN VALUE, and buy early. Free from TIMBER, ROCK and SCRUB.

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- Lazebny's Gherkins, 20 oz. bottle .45
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- Grimble's Malt Vinegar quart-bottle .25
- Spanish Queen Olives, 12 oz. bottle .25
- Lyle's Golden Syrup. Best English product 2 lb. tin 25c., 4 lb. tin 50c.
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### NOTICE.

Sealed applications addressed to the undersigned and marked "Application for Auditor" will be received up to noon of the 15th day of April, 1903, for the Audit of the books of the Municipality of the Town of Red Deer and School District.

L. C. FULMER, Sec.-Treas.

Red Deer, March 31st, 1903.

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